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The American Numismatic and Archaeological Society of New York.

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CIRCULAR TO MEMBERS.

THE Society desiring to collect and preserve materials in order to enable the Historiographer to prepare and read before it, upon the demise of any member, a memorial of his life, these queries are forwarded to you with the earnest request that they may be answered *in extenso*, and returned without delay.

QUESTIONS.

1. What is your full name? *Answer.*

*Jonas Coolidge Hills.*

2. What were the names of your parents? *A.*

*Ellery Hills. Born, 3 July 1800 in East Hartford, Died 9 Jan. 1870 in Hartford.*

*Nancy Harris Coolidge, Born 13 April 1812 in Springfield Mass. residence Hartford*

3. What were the names of your grandparents? *A.*

*Wait Hills, Born 16<sup>th</sup> Sept. 1777, Died 14 March 1832, in East Hartford } married 4 Oct 1797.*  
*Susannah Roberts, " 8, June 1778 " 14 Dec. 1825. " " " " }*

*Jonas Coolidge, Born Newtown Mass. 18 July 1772, Died in Hartford 17, Oct 1854 } married 3 June 1811*  
*Lois Harris, " Springfield " 11 Dec. 1777 " " " 3 July 1850 }*

4. When and where were you born? *A. 1851 October 18<sup>th</sup>*

*Hartford, Conn.*

5. If you are married, give the maiden name of your wife, and her residence, the names of her parents, the date of your marriage, and the place where you were married? *A.*

6. If you have had any children, give their names in the order of their birth. *A.*

7. If any member of your family is deceased, give the name and date of death. *A.*

8. State where you were brought up and educated. *A.*

*Hartford, Conn.*

9. If you were graduated by any college, give the name and class. *A.*

10. State what degrees, if any, have been conferred, and by whom. *A.*

11. State your occupation; and if you are a member of any of the learned professions. *A.*

12. If you have held any public office, either Municipal, State or Federal, state what, when, and for how long. *A.*

13. If you have been connected with any corporations, or other societies, state in what manner. *A.*

*Member of Connecticut Historical Society  
Hartford, Conn.*

14. If you have written any book, pamphlet or article which has been printed, state when and where published, and give titles in full, and please furnish copies to the Library of the Society. *A.*

15. If any biographical sketch of you or history of your family has been printed, please refer to it? *A.*

16. Give in detail any incidents which have gone to make up the history of your life; acquaintance with distinguished men, etc.; in fact, everything that should be presented in a memorial of your life. *A.*

17. If any of your ancestors or descendants have held important positions of honor or trust, please give details. *A.*

18. If you can give the name of the first ancestor of the family in this country, please do so. *A.*

*William Hills. came in the Lion 1632. Freeman in Roxbury Mass. 1634. Removed to Hartford in 1635, one of the original one hundred and twenty seven proprietors of Hartford. Removed before 1650 to East Hartford died 1683.*

NOTE.—Please also send to the Society, for its Album, a photographic likeness of yourself, with your autograph beneath it, if you have not already done so; and donations of anything you may have written will be particularly acceptable, as well as contributions germane to its Library and Cabinets.

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Jonas Coolidge Mills.  
Biographica Sketch.

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